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# BOARD REVIEWS MODEL POLICY DRAFT FOR COLLECTION AND USE OF STUDENT DATA

(Idaho Falls). The State Board of Education today reviewed a model policy regarding student privacy and data protection developed by the Board's Data Management Council. Legislation passed this year requires each school district and public charter school to adopt and implement a policy that establishes procedures for collecting, using and sharing student information.

*"Protecting individual student data from inappropriate collection, use and sharing is of great importance to the Board," said Board President Emma Atchley. "This policy is intended to help districts comply with state law and implement measures to safeguard student privacy."*

Before final adoption of the policy, the Data Management Council is seeking input from school administrators, boards of trustees and other interested parties. To access the model policy draft, visit this [link](#). Feedback can be sent to the Board's Director of Research, Carson Howell at [carson.howell@osbe.idaho.gov](mailto:carson.howell@osbe.idaho.gov).

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